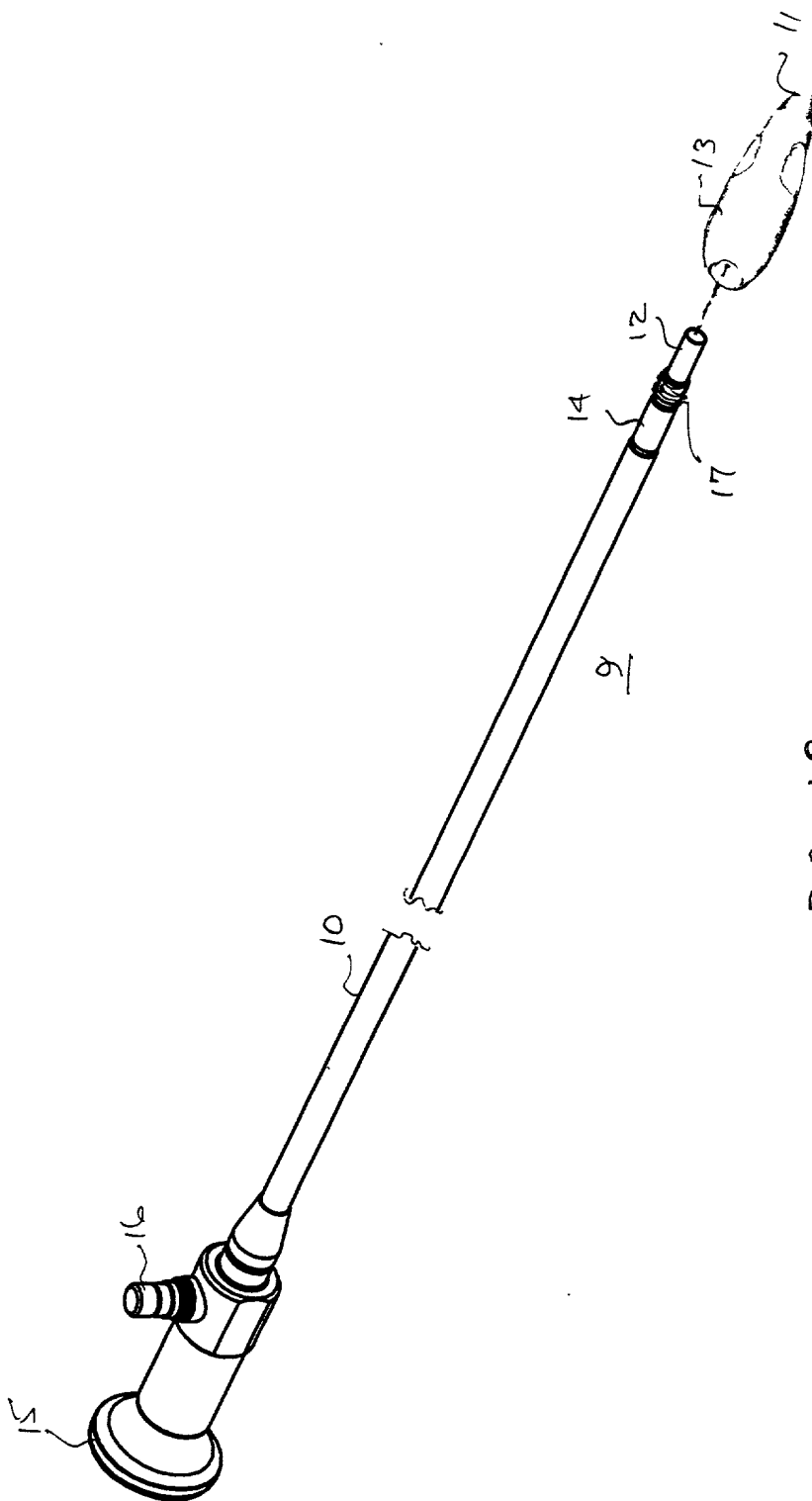
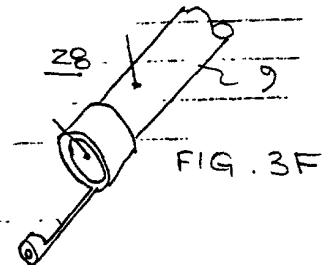
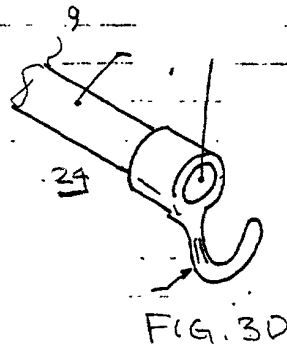
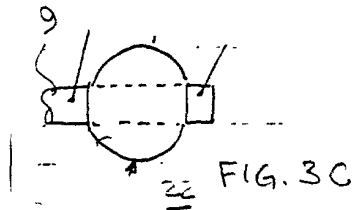
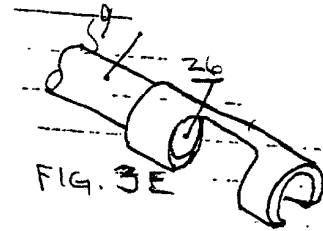
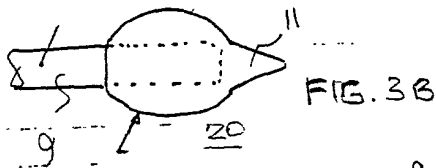
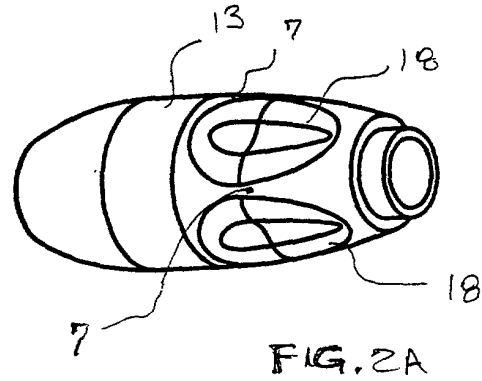
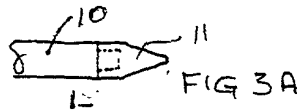
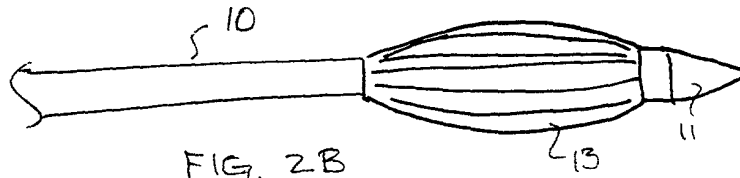
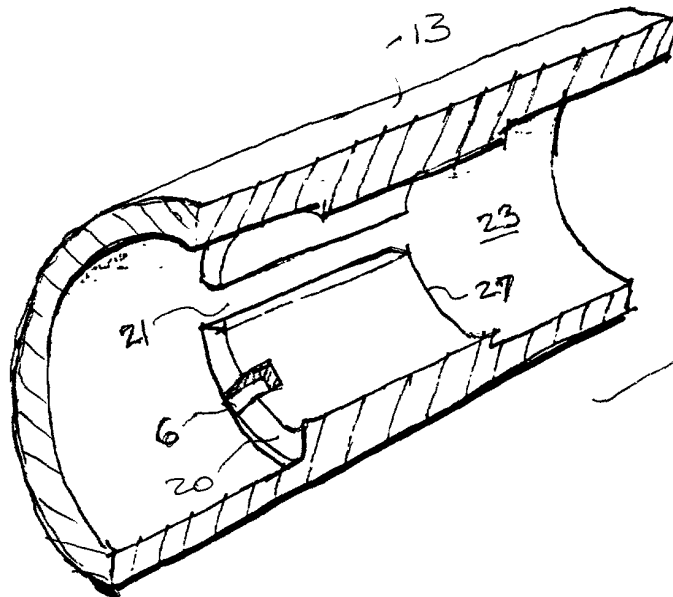
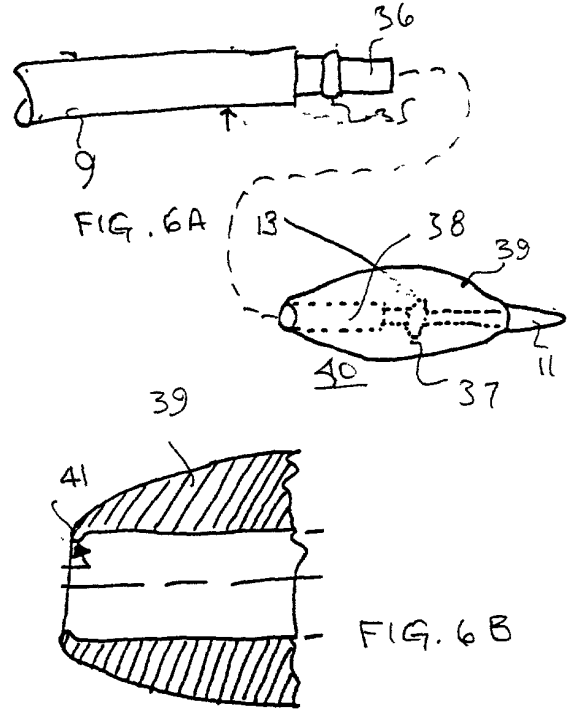
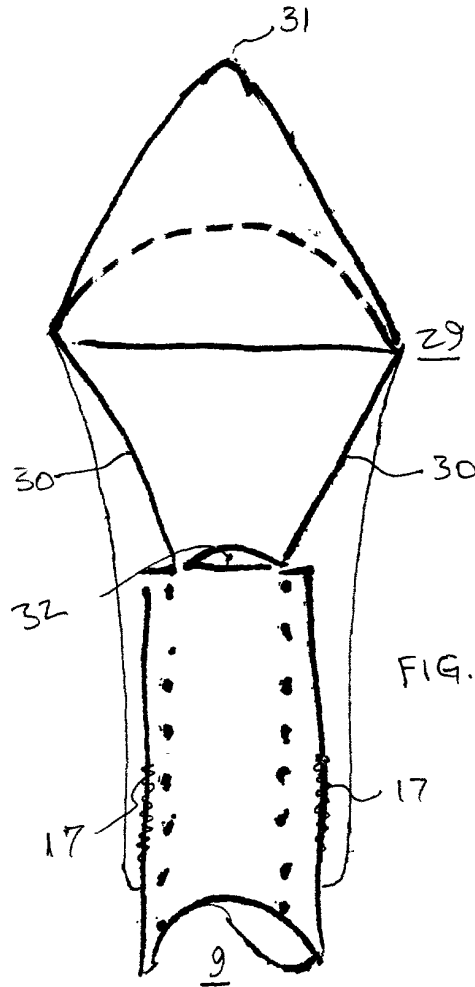
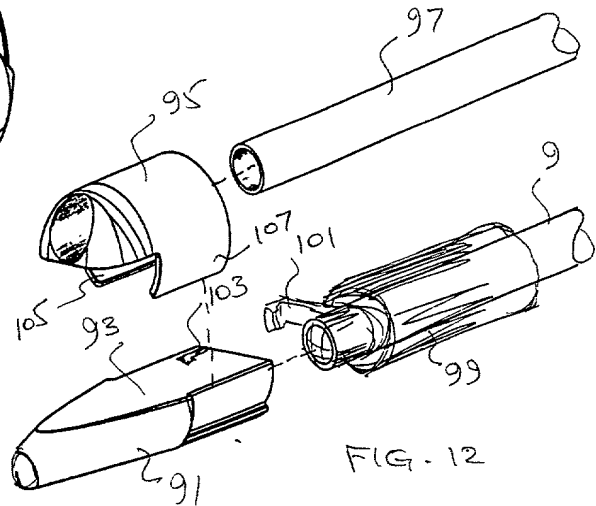
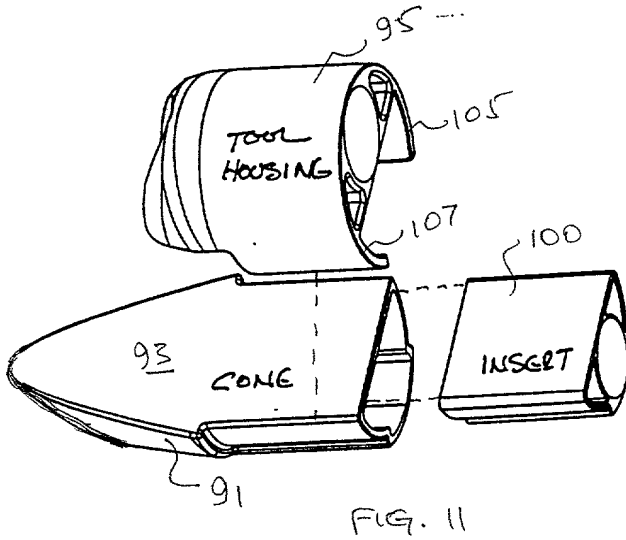
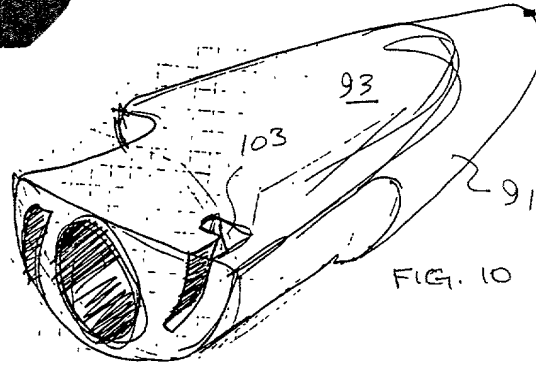
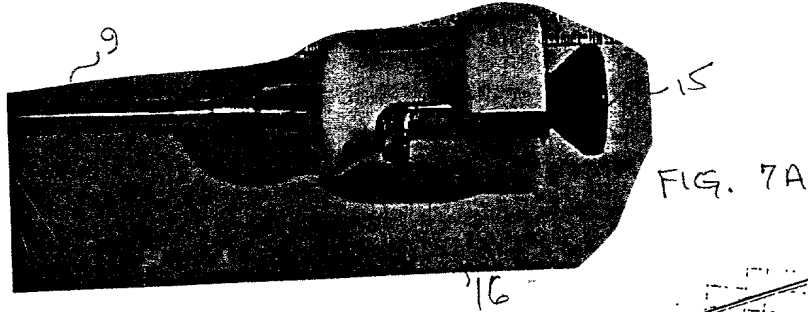
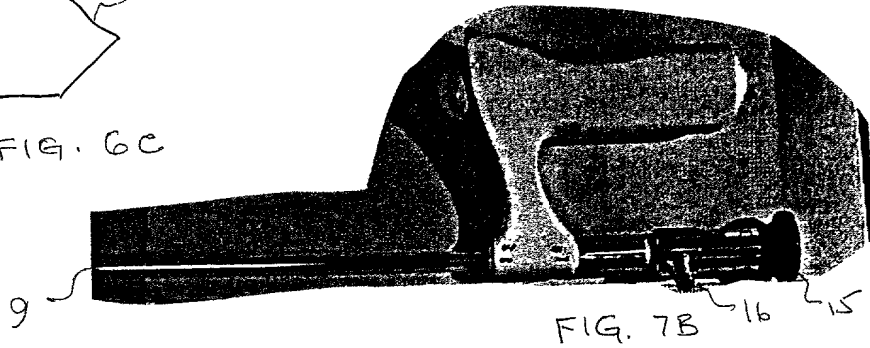
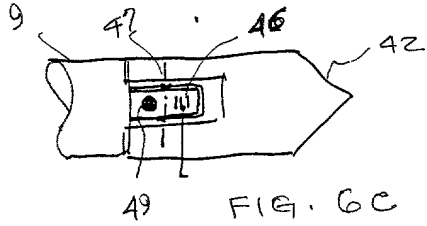


FIG. 1A









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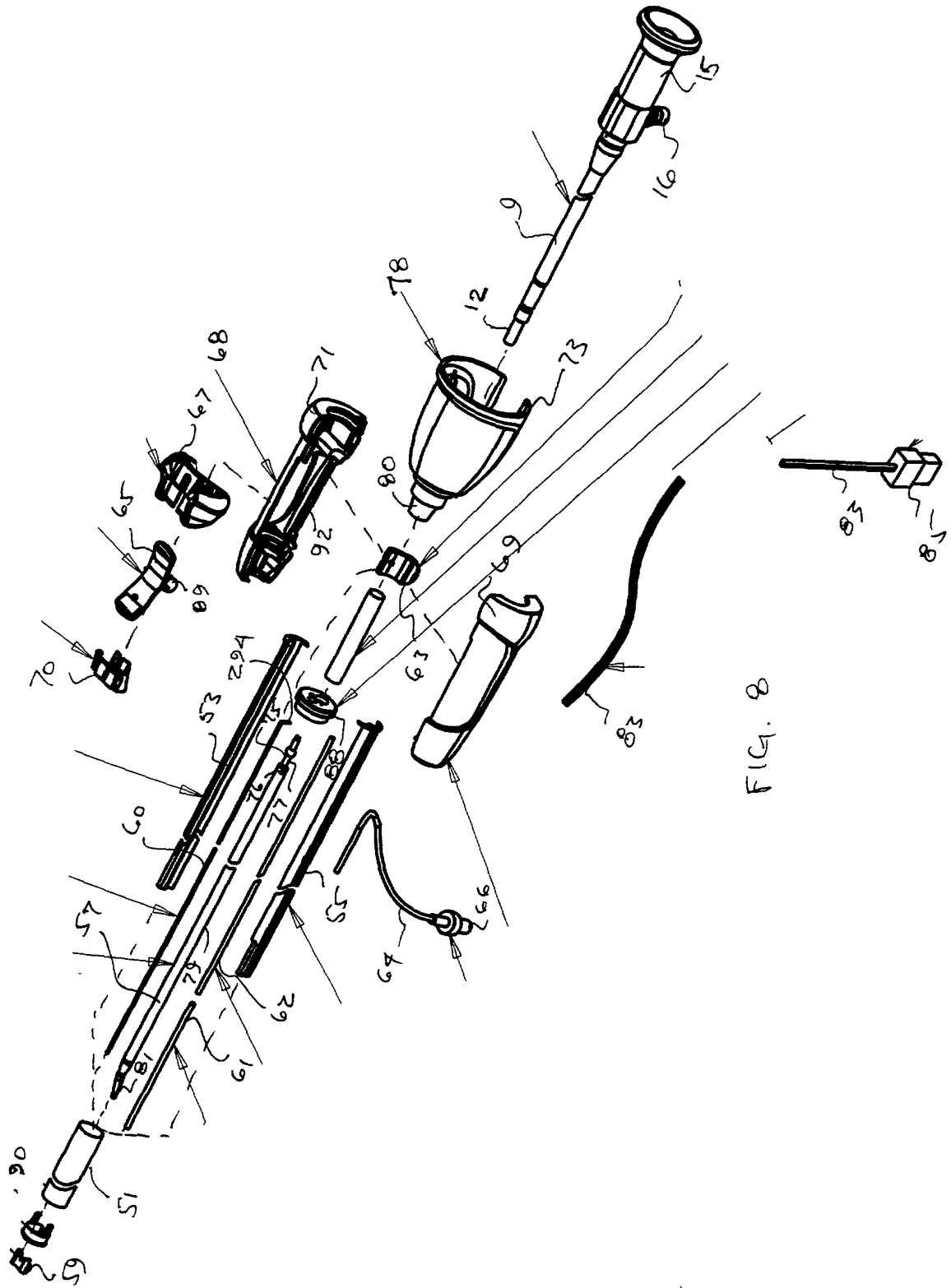
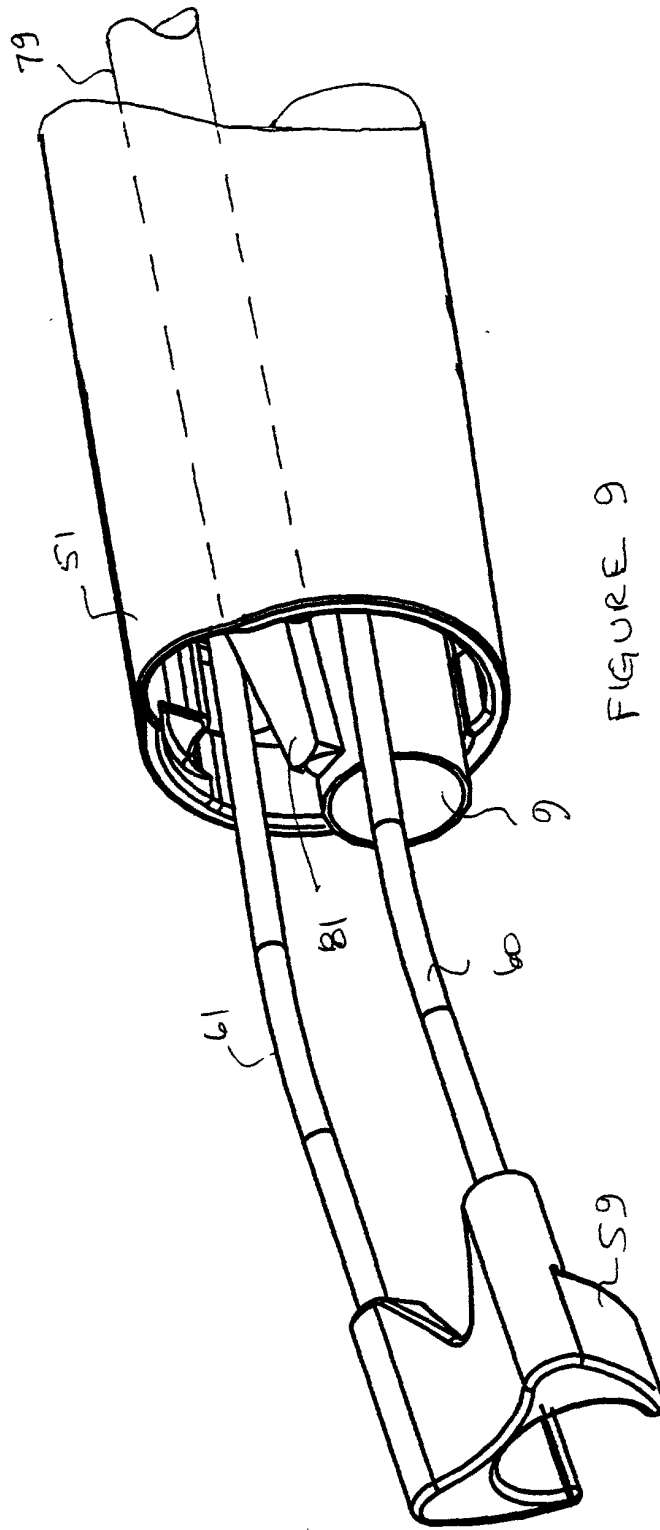


FIG. 8



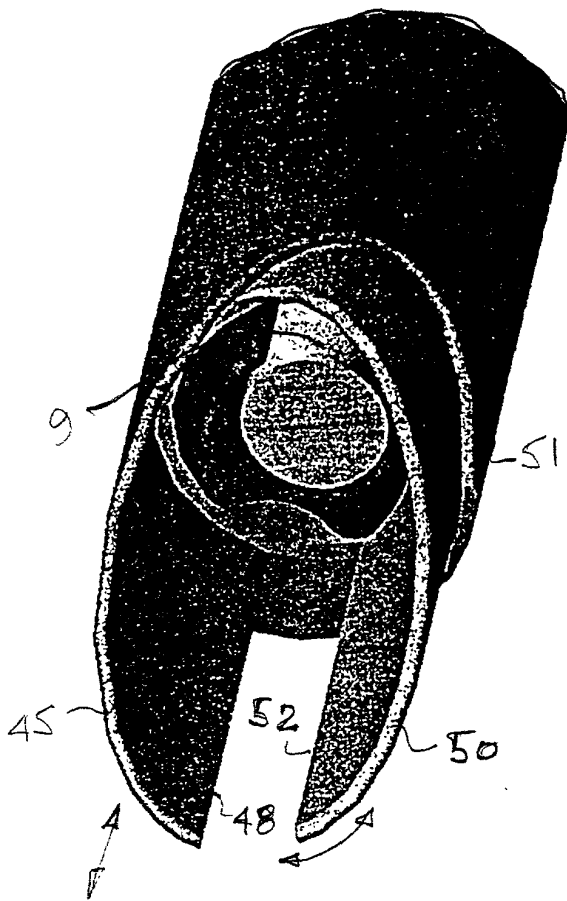


FIGURE 13

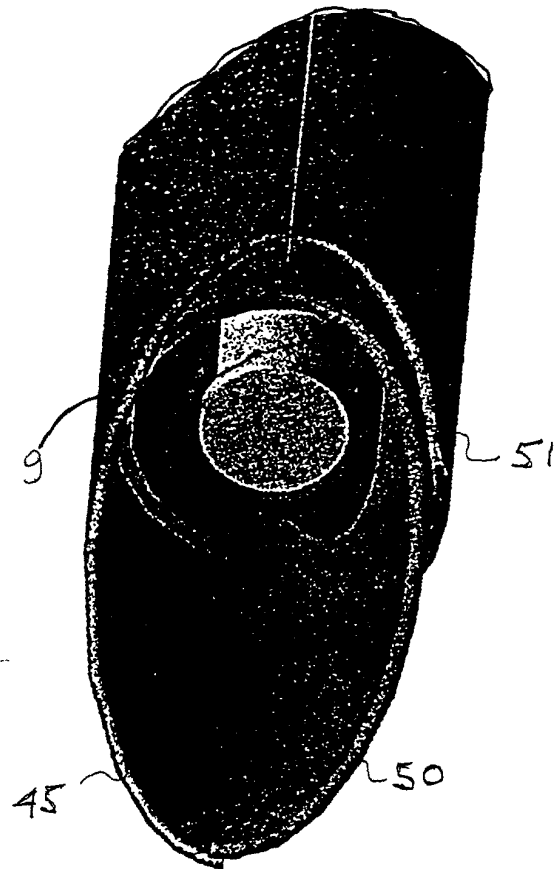


FIGURE 14





FIG. 15 A

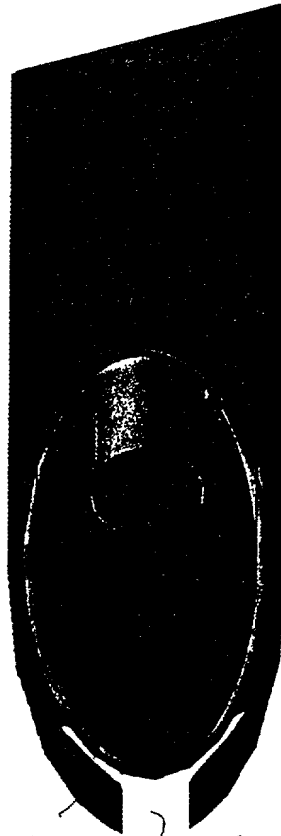


FIG. 15 B

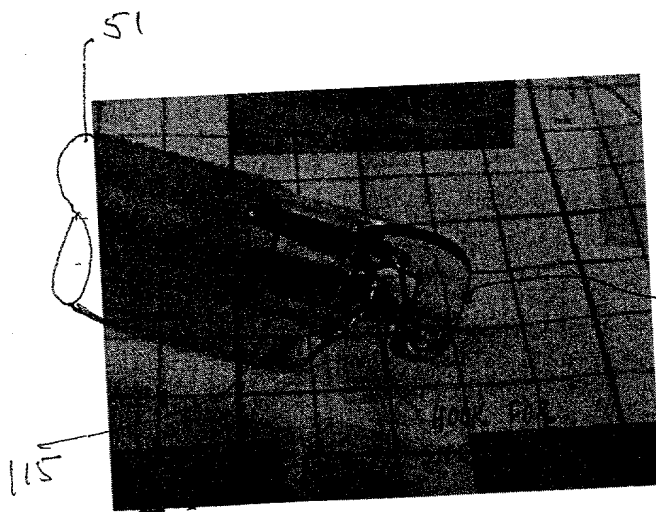


FIG. 16

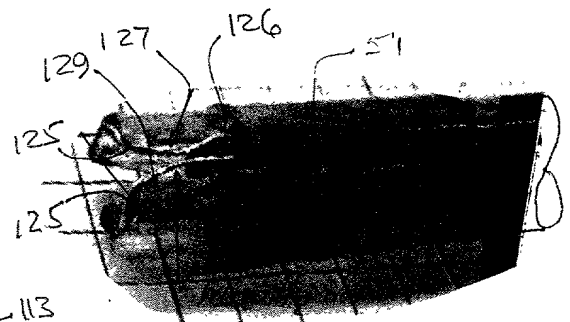


FIG. 18

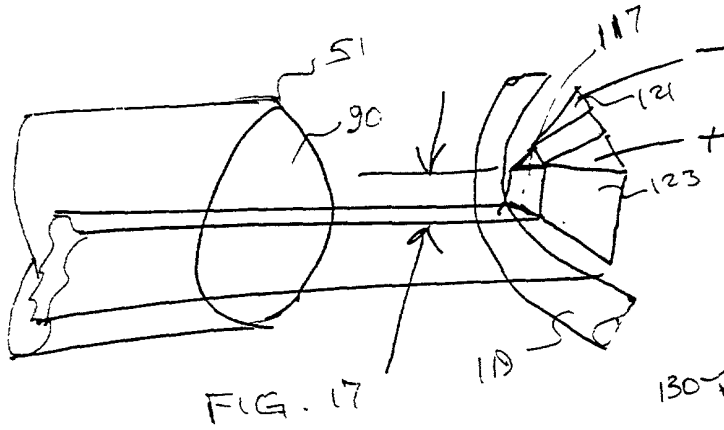


FIG. 17

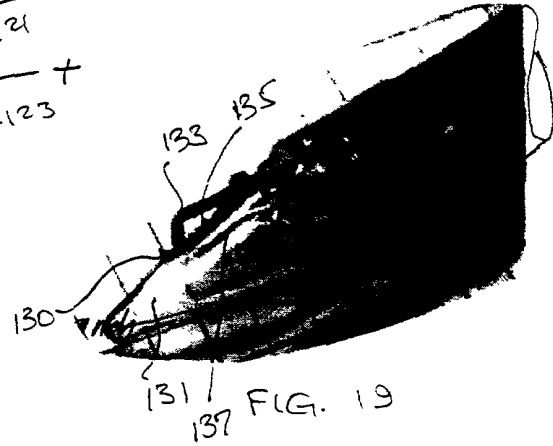


FIG. 19

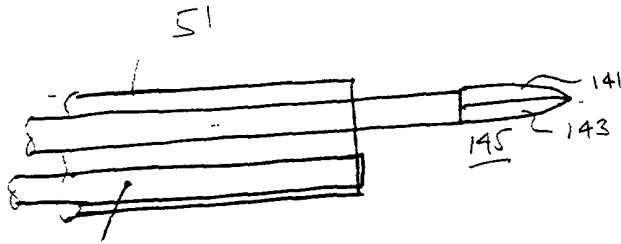


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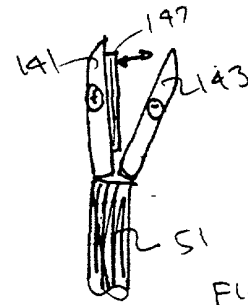


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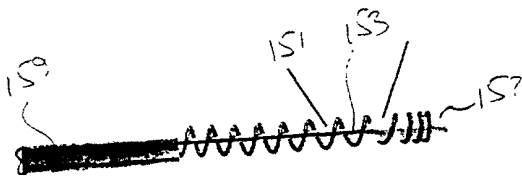


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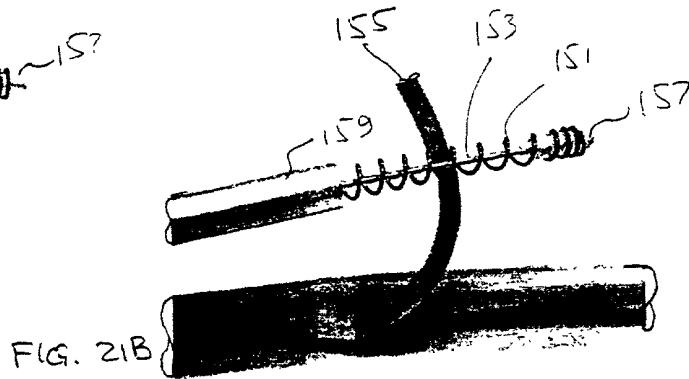


FIG. 21 B

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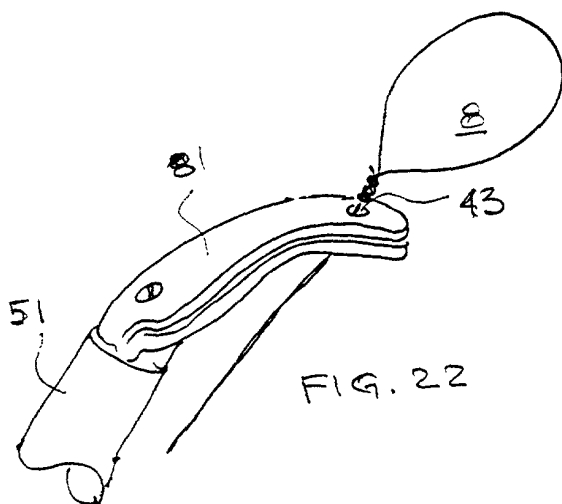


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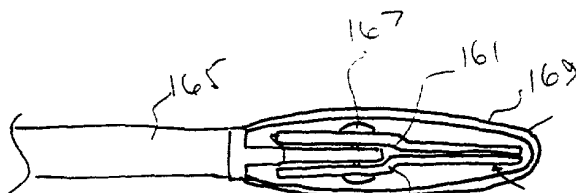


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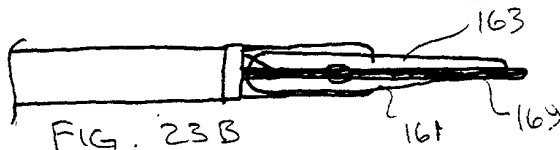


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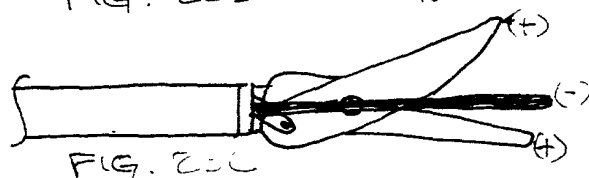


FIG. 23 C

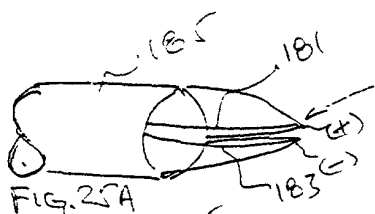


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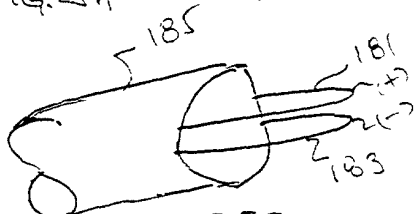


FIG. 25 B

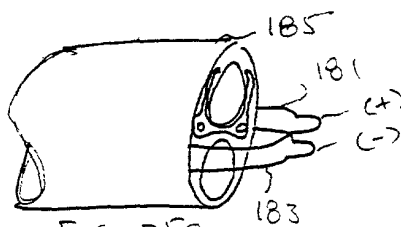


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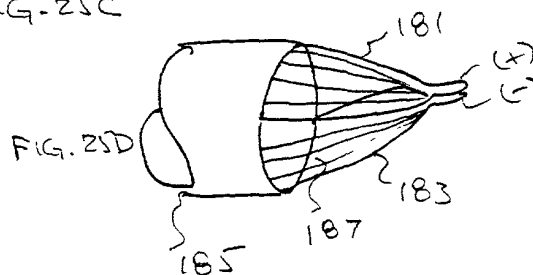


FIG. 25 D

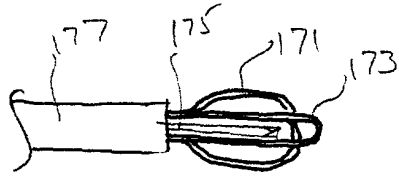


FIG. 24A

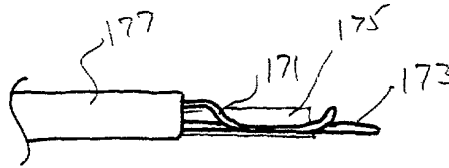


FIG. 24B

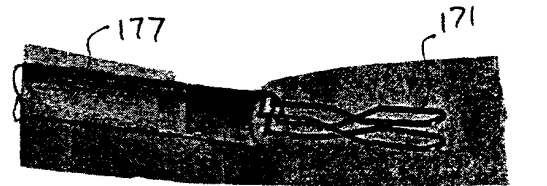


FIG. 24C

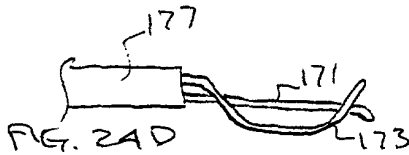


FIG. 24D

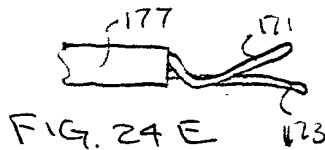


FIG. 24E

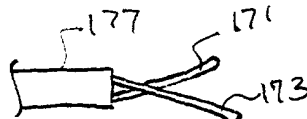


FIG. 24F

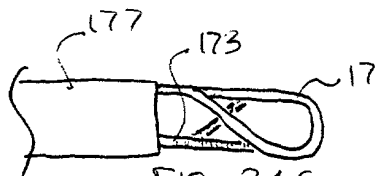


FIG. 24G

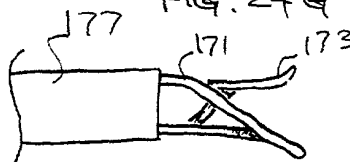


FIG. 24H

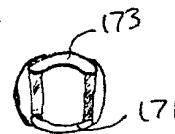
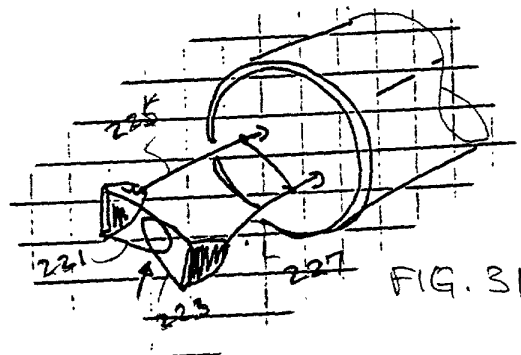
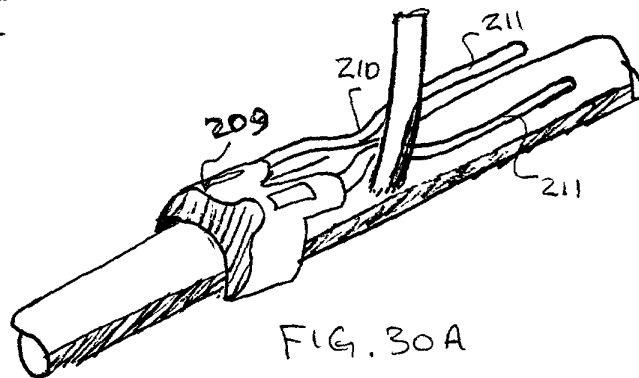
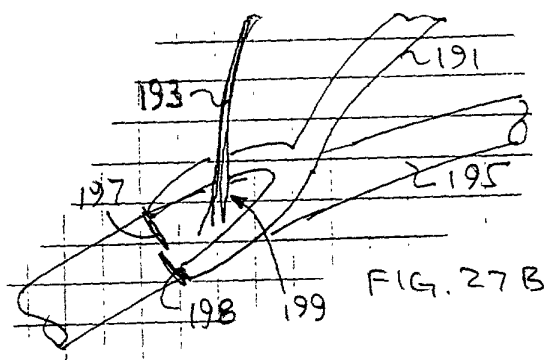
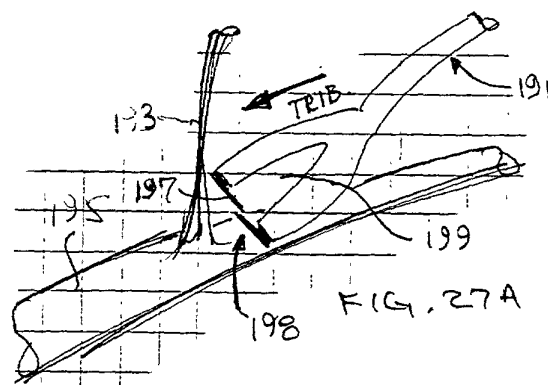
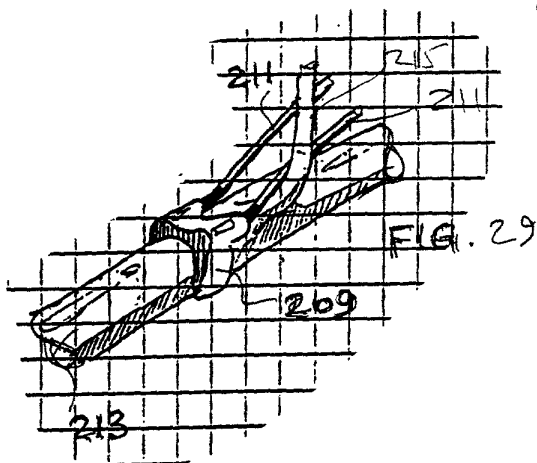
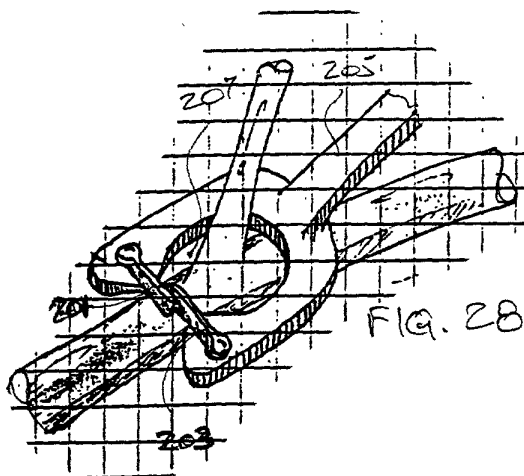
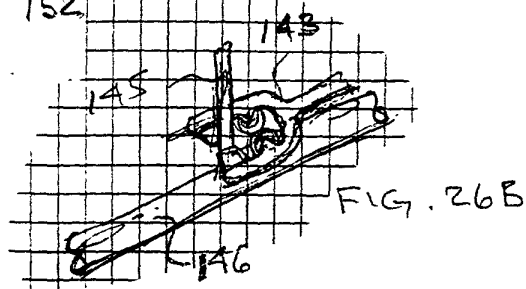
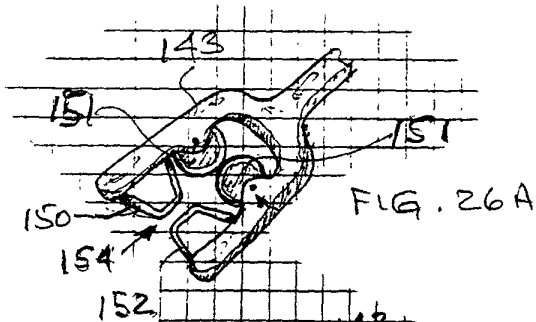
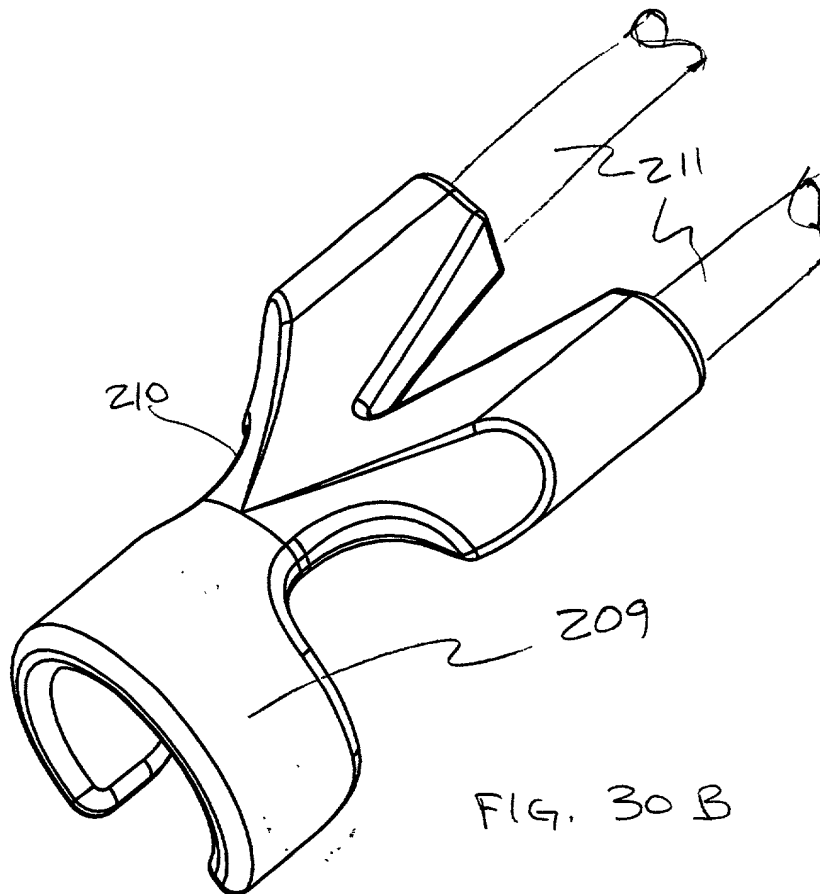


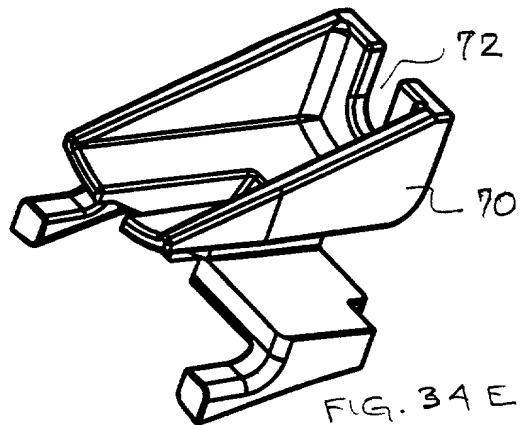
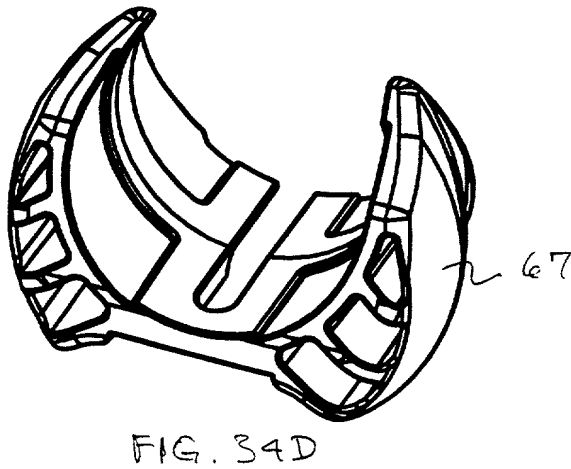
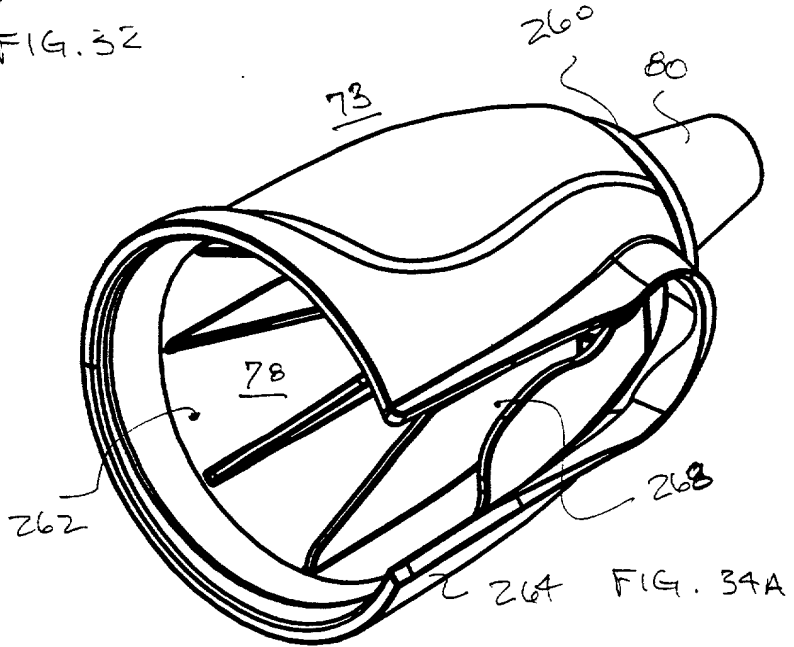
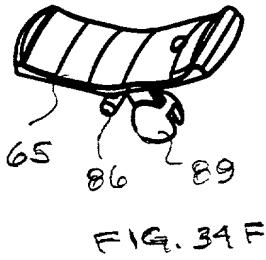
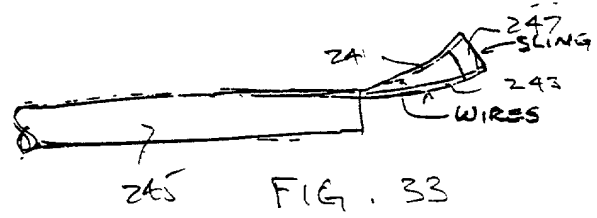
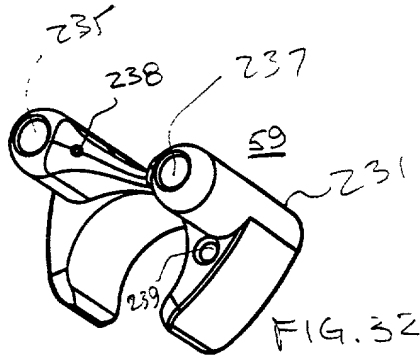
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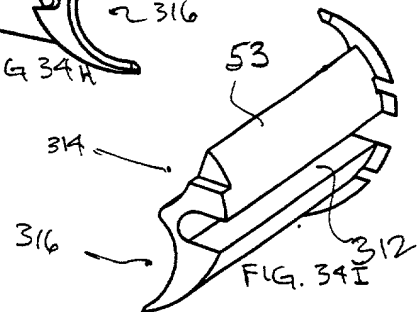
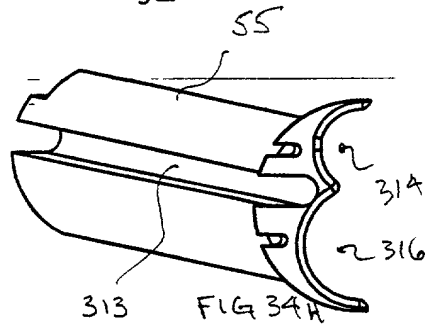
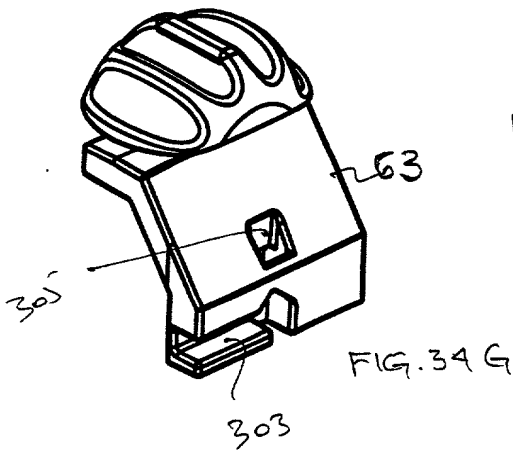
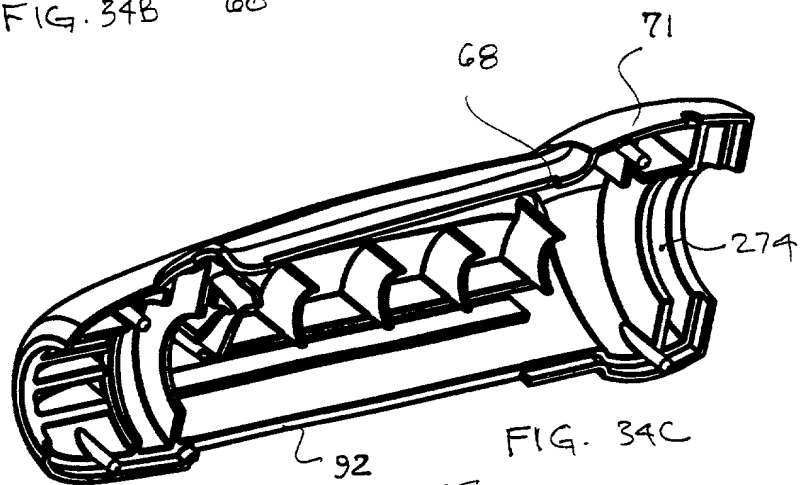
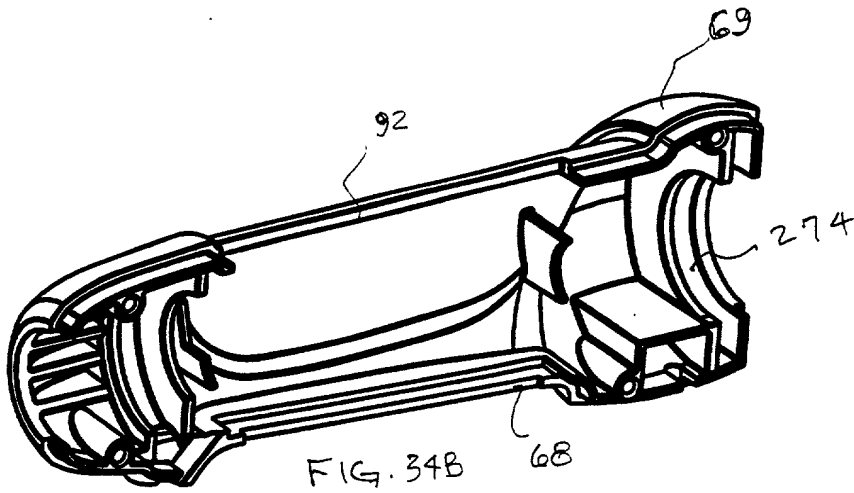


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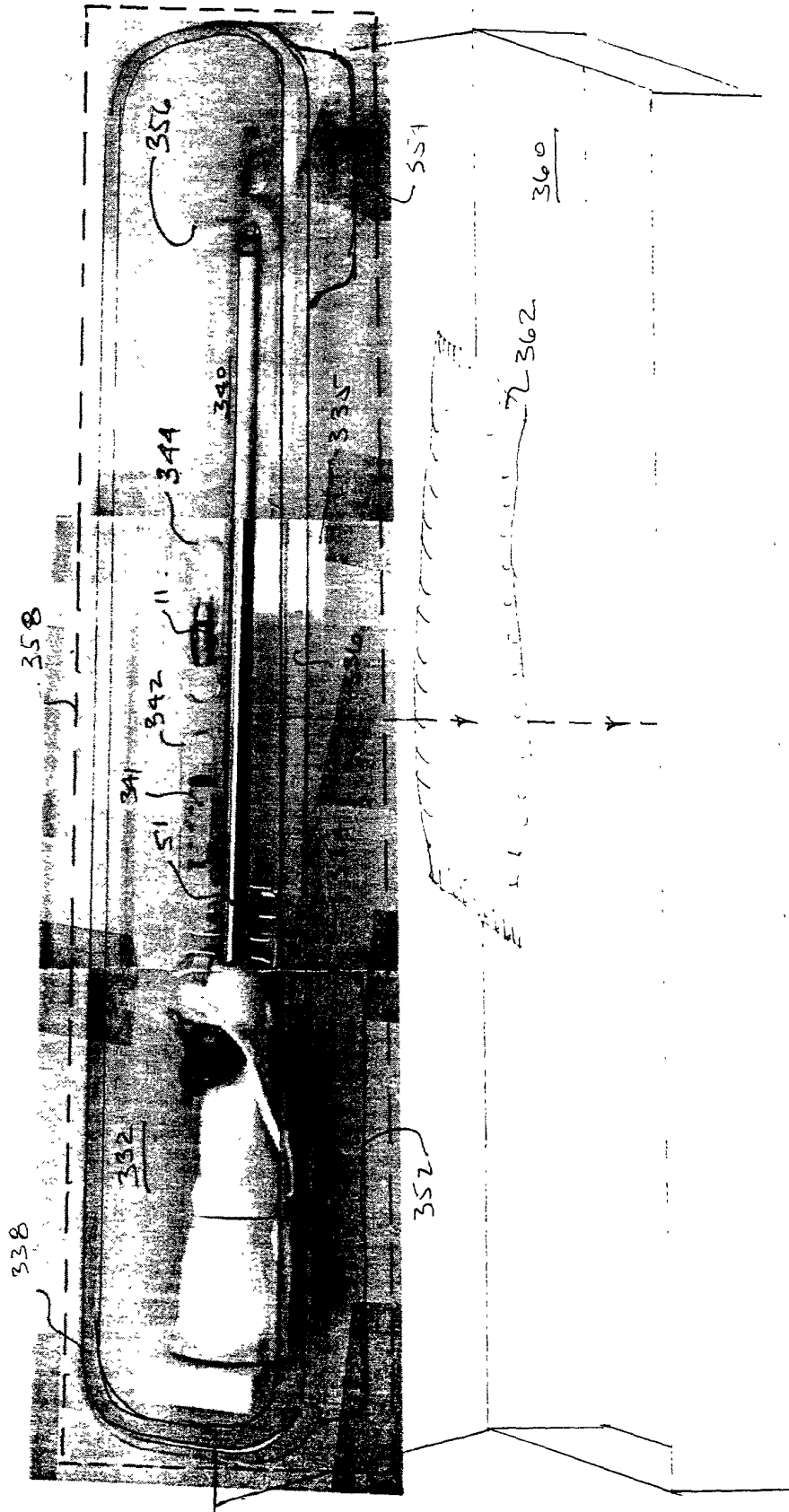


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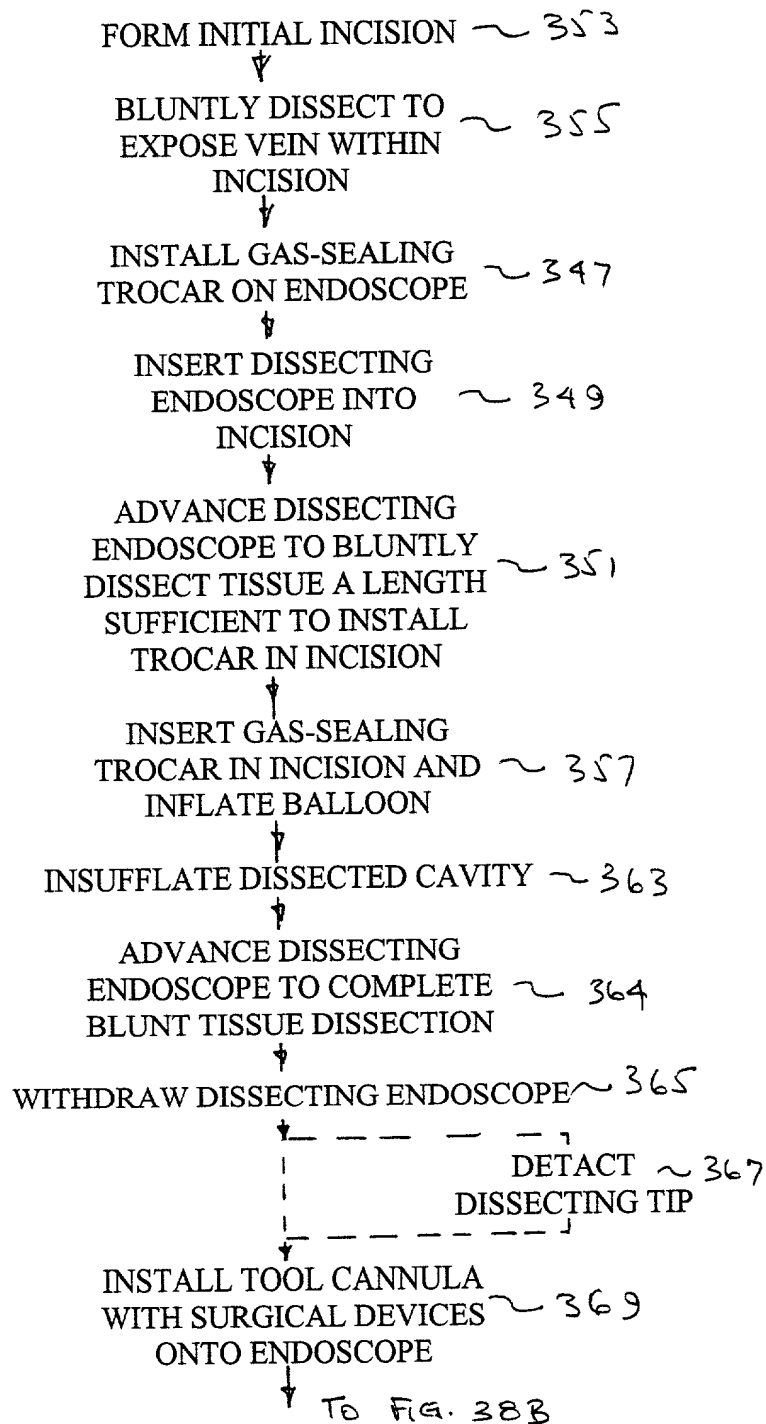
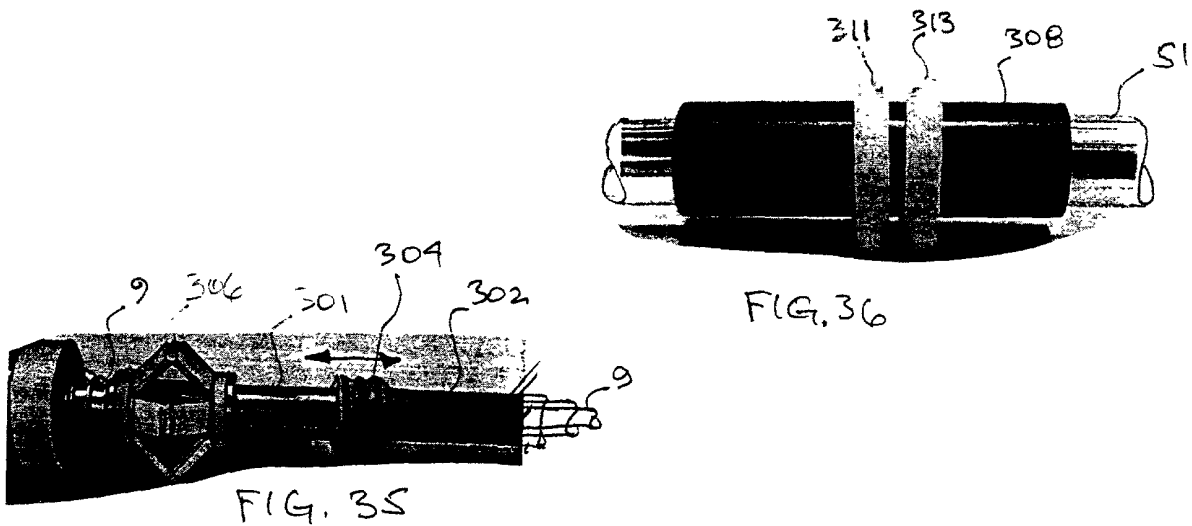


FIGURE 38A

FROM FIG. 38A  
↓  
INSERT RECONFIGURED  
ENDOSCOPE THROUGH ~ 371  
GAS-SEALING TROCAR  
INTO INSUFFLATED CAVITY  
↓  
RETRACT VEIN, CAUTERIZE ~ 373  
AND LIGATE SIDE BRANCHES  
↓  
SEVER VEIN AND REMOVE ~ 375  
FROM CAVITY

FIGURE 38B



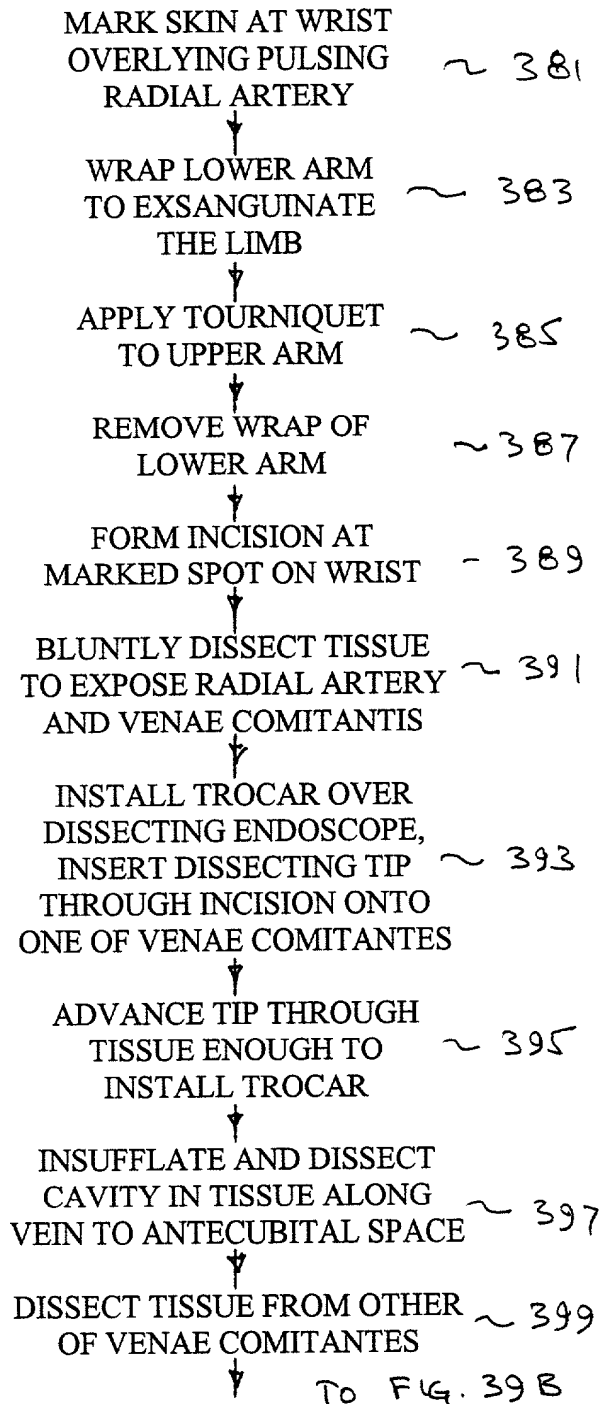


FIGURE 39A

↓ FROM FIG. 39A

EXPOSE VEINOUS AND ARTERIAL  
SIDE BRANCHES WITHIN  
DISSECTED CAVITY TO ~ 401  
ISOLATE PEDICLE OF  
ARTERY AND VEINS

↓  
RECONFIGURE ENDOSCOPE  
WITH TOOL CANNULA, ~ 403  
INTRODUCE INTO  
DISSECTED CAVITY

↓  
CAUTERIZE AND TRANSECT  
ALL SIDE BRANCHES AND ~ 405  
TRIBUTARY VESSELS ALONG  
LENGTH OF THE PEDICLE

↓  
FORM COUNTERINCISION  
NEAR ELBOW TO LIGATE ~ 407  
AND TRANSECT PEDICLE

↓  
LIGATE AND TRANSECT PEDICLE  
AT WRIST FOR REMOVAL ~ 409  
FROM DISSECTED CAVITY

↓  
REMOVE TOURNIQUET,  
CAUTERIZE IDENTIFIED  
BLEEDING VESSELS, ~ 411  
CLOSE INCISIONS

FIGURE 39B